

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT application of)
Tohru NATSUME et al.)
Application No. 10/581,969) Confirmation No. 8384
Filed: June 7, 2006) Group Art Unit: 1656
For: NOVEL INTERACTION BETWEEN) Examiner: Maryam Monshipouri
PROTEINS, AND THERAPEUTIC AGENT)
FOR DISUSE MUSCULAR ATROPHY OR)
METHOD ASSOCIATED WITH DISUSE)
MUSCULAR ATROPHY TAKING)
ADVANTAGE OF NOVEL INTERACTION)

SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION

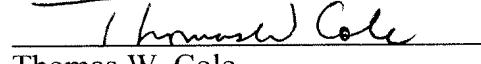
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Sir:

Pursuant to the agreement reached in the interview held with Examiner Monshipouri on April 28, 2009, applicant hereby submits a substitute specification in accordance with MPEP § 608.01(q), including (1) a marked-up copy of the originally-filed specification that indicates where all changes in the text were made (with the exception of spacing errors between adjacent words), and (2) a clean copy of the specification that incorporates all indicated changes and corrects all spacing errors between adjacent words. No new matter has been added to the substitute specification. This application is now ready for examination on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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